

WESTERN ASSET EMERGING MARKETS INCOME FUND INC.  
Form N-Q  
October 26, 2011

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM N-Q**

**QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED  
MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY**

Investment Company Act file number 811-7686

Western Asset Emerging Markets Income Fund Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

620 Eighth Avenue, New York, NY  
(Address of principal executive offices)

10018  
(Zip code)

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Stamford, CT 06902  
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 1-888-777-0102

Date of fiscal year end: May 31

Date of reporting period: August 31, 2011

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ITEM 1.

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

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**WESTERN ASSET EMERGING MARKETS  
INCOME FUND INC.**

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AUGUST 31, 2011

## WESTERN ASSET EMERGING MARKETS INCOME FUND INC.

Schedule of investments (unaudited)

August 31, 2011

SECURITY	RATE	MATURITY DATE	FACE AMOUNT	VALUE
<b>SOVEREIGN BONDS</b> 60.8%				
<b>Argentina 4.7%</b>				
Republic of Argentina	7.820%	12/31/33	9,843,347EUR \$	9,615,184(a)
Republic of Argentina, GDP Linked Securities	0.000%	12/15/35	10,461,590EUR	2,149,016(a)(b)
Republic of Argentina, GDP Linked Securities, Senior Bonds	0.000%	12/15/35	3,195,000	563,917(a)(b)
Republic of Argentina, Senior Bonds	7.000%	9/12/13	1,541,000	1,567,339
Republic of Argentina, Senior Bonds	7.000%	10/3/15	2,007,000	1,903,880
Republic of Argentina, Senior Bonds	2.260%	12/31/38	508,097EUR	240,861
Republic of Argentina, Senior Notes	8.750%	6/2/17	4,334,544	4,356,217
<i>Total Argentina</i>				<i>20,396,414</i>
<b>Brazil 6.5%</b>				
Brazil Nota do Tesouro Nacional, Notes	10.000%	1/1/14	2,865,000BRL	1,752,419
Brazil Nota do Tesouro Nacional, Notes	10.000%	1/1/17	33,048,000BRL	19,528,152
Federative Republic of Brazil	7.125%	1/20/37	5,117,000	6,818,403
Federative Republic of Brazil, Collective Action Securities	8.000%	1/15/18	722	879
<i>Total Brazil</i>				<i>28,099,853</i>
<b>Chile 1.0%</b>				
Banco del Estado de Chile, Senior Notes	4.125%	10/7/20	1,080,000	1,093,929(c)
Corporacion Nacional del Cobre de Chile, Senior Notes	3.750%	11/4/20	1,190,000	1,203,255(c)
Republic of Chile, Senior Notes	3.875%	8/5/20	1,750,000	1,871,275
<i>Total Chile</i>				<i>4,168,459</i>
<b>Colombia 3.5%</b>				
Republic of Colombia	7.375%	9/18/37	6,091,000	8,238,078
Republic of Colombia, Senior Bonds	6.125%	1/18/41	760,000	894,900
Republic of Colombia, Senior Notes	7.375%	3/18/19	4,926,000	6,292,965
<i>Total Colombia</i>				<i>15,425,943</i>
<b>Hungary 1.1%</b>				
Republic of Hungary, Senior Notes	6.250%	1/29/20	3,090,000	3,224,415
Republic of Hungary, Senior Notes	6.375%	3/29/21	1,630,000	1,695,200
<i>Total Hungary</i>				<i>4,919,615</i>
<b>India 0.2%</b>				
ICICI Bank Ltd., Junior Subordinated Bonds	6.375%	4/30/22	454,000	424,490(a)(c)
ICICI Bank Ltd., Subordinated Bonds	6.375%	4/30/22	570,000	532,950(a)(c)
<i>Total India</i>				<i>957,440</i>
<b>Indonesia 3.0%</b>				
Republic of Indonesia, Senior Bonds	6.875%	1/17/18	420,000	501,900(c)
Republic of Indonesia, Senior Bonds	10.250%	7/15/22	10,904,000,000IDR	1,571,706
Republic of Indonesia, Senior Bonds	11.000%	9/15/25	21,720,000,000IDR	3,299,533
Republic of Indonesia, Senior Bonds	10.250%	7/15/27	21,034,000,000IDR	3,025,544
Republic of Indonesia, Senior Bonds	6.625%	2/17/37	1,105,000	1,328,762(c)
Republic of Indonesia, Senior Bonds	9.750%	5/15/37	25,039,000,000IDR	3,435,094

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<i>Total Indonesia</i>				<i>13,162,539</i>
<b>Malaysia 1.8%</b>				
Government of Malaysia, Senior Bonds	3.835%	8/12/15	21,410,000MYR	7,317,978
Government of Malaysia, Senior Bonds	4.262%	9/15/16	1,155,000MYR	402,927
<i>Total Malaysia</i>				<i>7,720,905</i>
<b>Mexico 5.4%</b>				
Mexican Bonos, Bonds	8.000%	6/11/20	185,366,000MXN	17,241,950
United Mexican States, Bonds	10.000%	12/5/24	19,610,000MXN	2,105,689
United Mexican States, Medium-Term Notes	6.050%	1/11/40	4,000	4,606
United Mexican States, Senior Notes	5.950%	3/19/19	3,560,000	4,227,500
<i>Total Mexico</i>				<i>23,579,745</i>
<b>Panama 1.9%</b>				
Republic of Panama	7.250%	3/15/15	1,164,000	1,367,700

*See Notes to Schedule of Investments.*

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<b>Panama continued</b>				
Republic of Panama	9.375%	4/1/29	1,603,000	\$ 2,476,635
Republic of Panama	6.700%	1/26/36	3,520,000	4,373,600
<i>Total Panama</i>				8,217,935
<b>Peru 5.1%</b>				
Republic of Peru	8.750%	11/21/33	7,805,000	11,629,450
Republic of Peru, Bonds	7.840%	8/12/20	8,219,000PEN	3,490,104
Republic of Peru, Bonds	6.550%	3/14/37	1,080,000	1,325,700
Republic of Peru, Global Senior Bonds	7.350%	7/21/25	4,300,000	5,633,000
<i>Total Peru</i>				22,078,254
<b>Poland 3.8%</b>				
Republic of Poland, Bonds	5.500%	4/25/15	29,490,000PLN	10,478,506
Republic of Poland, Senior Notes	6.375%	7/15/19	1,840,000	2,118,760
Republic of Poland, Senior Notes	5.125%	4/21/21	3,910,000	4,076,175
<i>Total Poland</i>				16,673,441
<b>Russia 6.6%</b>				
RSHB Capital, Loan Participation Notes, Senior Secured Bonds	6.299%	5/15/17	1,073,000	1,138,721(c)
RSHB Capital, Loan Participation Notes, Senior Secured Notes	9.000%	6/11/14	1,000,000	1,122,500(c)
Russian Foreign Bond-Eurobond	11.000%	7/24/18	110,000	156,750(c)
Russian Foreign Bond-Eurobond	12.750%	6/24/28	617,000	1,096,718(c)
Russian Foreign Bond-Eurobond, Senior Bonds	7.500%	3/31/30	21,214,125	25,431,493(c)
<i>Total Russia</i>				28,946,182
<b>Sri Lanka 0.4%</b>				
Sri Lanka Government International Bond, Senior Notes	6.250%	7/27/21	1,580,000	1,579,226(c)
<b>Turkey 8.2%</b>				
Republic of Turkey, Notes	6.750%	5/30/40	2,750,000	3,038,750
Republic of Turkey, Senior Bonds	5.625%	3/30/21	820,000	880,270
Republic of Turkey, Senior Bonds	11.875%	1/15/30	3,348,000	5,733,450
Republic of Turkey, Senior Notes	7.500%	7/14/17	100,000	118,500
Republic of Turkey, Senior Notes	6.875%	3/17/36	23,290,000	26,143,025
<i>Total Turkey</i>				35,913,995
<b>Venezuela 7.6%</b>				
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela	5.750%	2/26/16	15,166,000	11,639,905(c)
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela	7.000%	12/1/18	1,920,000	1,324,800(c)
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela	7.650%	4/21/25	933,000	571,462
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Collective Action Securities, Global Senior Bonds	9.375%	1/13/34	7,239,000	4,994,910
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Collective Action Securities, Notes	10.750%	9/19/13	3,800,000	3,800,000
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Global Senior Bonds	8.500%	10/8/14	6,694,000	6,074,805

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Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Senior Bonds	9.250%	9/15/27	500,000	355,000
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Senior Notes	7.750%	10/13/19	6,350,000	4,413,250(c)
<i>Total Venezuela</i>				33,174,132
TOTAL SOVEREIGN BONDS (Cost \$239,788,309)				265,014,078
CORPORATE BONDS & NOTES 36.2%				
CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY 1.2%				
<b>Media 1.2%</b>				
Globo Comunicacoes e Participacoes SA, Bonds	7.250%	4/26/22	866,000	913,630(c)
Globo Comunicacoes e Participacoes SA, Senior Bonds	7.250%	4/26/22	110,000	116,050(c)
Grupo Televisa SA, Senior Bonds	6.625%	1/15/40	3,910,000	4,213,854
TOTAL CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY				5,243,534

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SECURITY	RATE	MATURITY DATE	FACE AMOUNT	VALUE
CONSUMER STAPLES 0.2%				
<b>Personal Products 0.2%</b>				
Hypermecas SA, Notes	6.500%	4/20/21	1,040,000 \$	1,015,040(c)
ENERGY 15.8%				
<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels 15.8%</b>				
Dolphin Energy Ltd., Senior Secured Bonds	5.888%	6/15/19	2,535,932	2,790,534(c)
Ecopetrol SA, Senior Notes	7.625%	7/23/19	2,600,000	3,178,500
KazMunaiGaz Finance Sub BV, Senior Notes	8.375%	7/2/13	5,390,000	5,821,200(c)
KazMunaiGaz Finance Sub BV, Senior Notes	8.375%	7/2/13	910,000	980,525(c)
LUKOIL International Finance BV, Bonds	6.656%	6/7/22	4,339,000	4,523,407(c)
Novatek Finance Ltd., Notes	6.604%	2/3/21	1,800,000	1,890,000(c)
Pan American Energy LLC, Senior Notes	7.875%	5/7/21	1,860,000	1,934,400(c)
Pan American Energy LLC, Senior Notes	7.875%	5/7/21	974,000	1,012,960(c)
Pemex Project Funding Master Trust, Senior Bonds	6.625%	6/15/35	6,176,000	6,856,459
Petrobras International Finance Co., Senior Notes	6.875%	1/20/40	3,710,000	4,272,633
Petrobras International Finance Co., Senior Notes	6.750%	1/27/41	1,560,000	1,770,600
Petroleos Mexicanos, Notes	8.000%	5/3/19	130,000	164,645
Petroleos Mexicanos, Senior Notes	5.500%	1/21/21	9,100,000	9,950,850
Petroleum Co. of Trinidad & Tobago Ltd., Senior Notes	9.750%	8/14/19	1,740,000	2,114,100(c)
Petronas Capital Ltd.	5.250%	8/12/19	5,560,000	6,236,202(c)
Petronas Capital Ltd., Senior Notes	5.250%	8/12/19	1,448,000	1,617,588(c)
PT Pertamina Persero, Notes	5.250%	5/23/21	2,280,000	2,382,600(c)
Ras Laffan Liquefied Natural Gas Co., Ltd. III, Senior Secured Bonds	6.750%	9/30/19	2,429,000	2,923,909(c)
Reliance Holdings USA Inc., Senior Notes	4.500%	10/19/20	2,220,000	2,124,489(c)
TNK-BP Finance SA	6.625%	3/20/17	2,387,000	2,583,928(c)
TNK-BP Finance SA, Senior Notes	7.500%	7/18/16	2,830,000	3,169,600(c)
TNK-BP Finance SA, Senior Notes	7.875%	3/13/18	310,000	355,322(c)
TNK-BP Finance SA, Senior Notes	7.875%	3/13/18	218,000	249,872(c)
TOTAL ENERGY				68,904,323
INDUSTRIALS 1.7%				
<b>Building Products 0.5%</b>				
GTL Trade Finance Inc., Senior Notes	7.250%	10/20/17	730,000	811,212(c)
GTL Trade Finance Inc., Senior Notes	7.250%	10/20/17	462,000	513,398(c)
Rearden G Holdings EINS GmbH, Senior Notes	7.875%	3/30/20	810,000	842,400(c)
Total Building Products				2,167,010
<b>Construction &amp; Engineering 0.8%</b>				
Odebrecht Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	7.000%	4/21/20	2,440,000	2,671,800(c)
Odebrecht Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	6.000%	4/5/23	700,000	700,000(c)
Total Construction & Engineering				3,371,800
<b>Industrial Conglomerates 0.4%</b>				
Sinochem Overseas Capital Co., Ltd., Senior Notes	4.500%	11/12/20	1,765,000	1,761,925(c)
TOTAL INDUSTRIALS				7,300,735
MATERIALS 8.7%				



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**Chemicals 0.4%**

Braskem Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	7.000%	5/7/20	1,712,000	1,844,680(c)
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**Containers & Packaging 0.5%**

Suzano Trading Ltd., Senior Notes	5.875%	1/23/21	2,260,000	2,197,850(c)
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**Metals & Mining 6.7%**

CSN Resources SA, Senior Bonds	6.500%	7/21/20	1,020,000	1,087,575(c)
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CSN Resources SA, Senior Bonds	6.500%	7/21/20	998,000	1,064,118(c)
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Evraz Group SA, Notes	8.250%	11/10/15	500,000	530,000(c)
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Evraz Group SA, Notes	9.500%	4/24/18	810,000	900,315(c)
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Evraz Group SA, Notes	6.750%	4/27/18	5,355,000	5,207,737(c)
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Evraz Group SA, Senior Notes	9.500%	4/24/18	1,180,000	1,310,673(c)
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Southern Copper Corp., Senior Notes	5.375%	4/16/20	800,000	861,145
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Southern Copper Corp., Senior Notes	6.750%	4/16/40	960,000	1,018,621
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Vale Overseas Ltd., Notes	8.250%	1/17/34	5,756,000	7,518,579
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Vale Overseas Ltd., Notes	6.875%	11/21/36	3,349,000	3,843,986
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Vedanta Resources PLC, Senior Notes	8.750%	1/15/14	3,880,000	3,938,200(c)
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*See Notes to Schedule of Investments.*

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SECURITY	RATE	MATURITY DATE	FACE AMOUNT	VALUE
<b>Metals &amp; Mining continued</b>				
Vedanta Resources PLC, Senior Notes	6.750%	6/7/16	1,630,000	\$ 1,532,200(c)
Vedanta Resources PLC, Senior Notes	9.500%	7/18/18	360,000	370,800(c)
<i>Total Metals &amp; Mining</i>				<i>29,183,949</i>
<b>Paper &amp; Forest Products 1.1%</b>				
Celulosa Arauco y Constitucion SA, Senior Notes	7.250%	7/29/19	1,932,000	2,267,604
Empresas CMPC SA, Notes	4.750%	1/19/18	1,020,000	1,047,366(c)
Fibria Overseas Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	7.500%	5/4/20	950,000	983,250(c)
Fibria Overseas Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	6.750%	3/3/21	610,000	613,050(c)
<i>Total Paper &amp; Forest Products</i>				<i>4,911,270</i>
<b>TOTAL MATERIALS</b>				<b>38,137,749</b>
<b>TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES</b>				
6.8%				
<b>Diversified Telecommunication Services</b>				
4.5%				
Axtel SAB de CV, Senior Notes	7.625%	2/1/17	8,540,000	8,048,950(c)
Axtel SAB de CV, Senior Notes	7.625%	2/1/17	396,000	374,220(c)
Axtel SAB de CV, Senior Notes	9.000%	9/22/19	1,458,000	1,396,035(c)
Qtel International Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	4.750%	2/16/21	910,000	931,612(c)
Telemar Norte Leste SA, Senior Notes	5.500%	10/23/20	1,600,000	1,588,000(c)
UBS Luxembourg SA for OJSC Vimpel Communications, Loan Participation Notes	8.250%	5/23/16	657,000	689,850(c)
Vimpel Communications, Loan Participation Notes	8.375%	4/30/13	750,000	796,875(c)
Vimpel Communications, Notes	6.493%	2/2/16	200,000	198,240(c)
VIP Finance Ireland Ltd. for OJSC Vimpel Communications, Loan Participation Notes, Secured Notes	8.375%	4/30/13	5,017,000	5,319,726(c)
<i>Total Diversified Telecommunication Services</i>				<i>19,343,508</i>
<b>Wireless Telecommunication Services</b>				
2.3%				
Indosat Palapa Co. BV, Senior Notes	7.375%	7/29/20	1,270,000	1,425,575(c)
True Move Co., Ltd.	10.750%	12/16/13	430,000	453,650(c)
True Move Co., Ltd.	10.375%	8/1/14	2,340,000	2,457,000(c)
True Move Co., Ltd., Notes	10.750%	12/16/13	5,310,000	5,602,050(c)
VimpelCom Holdings BV, Senior Notes	7.504%	3/1/22	240,000	229,440(c)
<i>Total Wireless Telecommunication Services</i>				<i>10,167,715</i>
<b>TOTAL TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES</b>				<b>29,511,223</b>
<b>UTILITIES 1.8%</b>				
<b>Electric Utilities 0.9%</b>				
	6.875%	7/30/19	940,000	1,090,400(c)

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Centrais Eletricas Brasileiras SA, Senior Notes				
Centrais Eletricas Brasileiras SA, Senior Notes	6.875%	7/30/19	385,000	446,600(c)
Majapahit Holding BV, Senior Notes	7.750%	1/20/20	1,970,000	2,413,250(c)
<i>Total Electric Utilities</i>				3,950,250
<b>Independent Power Producers &amp; Energy Traders 0.6%</b>				
AES Gener SA, Notes	5.250%	8/15/21	1,000,000	1,007,227(c)
Colbun SA, Senior Notes	6.000%	1/21/20	1,660,000	1,755,123(c)
<i>Total Independent Power Producers &amp; Energy Traders</i>				2,762,350
<b>Multi-Utilities 0.3%</b>				
Empresas Publicas de Medellin ESP, Senior Notes	7.625%	7/29/19	870,000	1,033,125(c)
TOTAL UTILITIES				7,745,725
TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS & NOTES (Cost \$145,578,839)				157,858,329

	EXPIRATION DATE	WARRANTS	
WARRANTS 0.1%			
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Oil-linked payment obligations (Cost - \$356,500)	4/15/20	11,500	324,530
TOTAL INVESTMENTS BEFORE SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (Cost \$385,723,648)			423,196,937

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SECURITY	RATE	MATURITY DATE	FACE AMOUNT	VALUE
SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS 1.0%				
<b>U.S. Government Agencies 0.1%</b>				
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. (FHLMC), Discount Notes (Cost - \$219,904)	0.120%	1/10/12	220,000	\$ 219,984(d)(e)
<b>Repurchase Agreements 0.9%</b>				
Morgan Stanley tri-party repurchase agreement dated 8/31/11; Proceeds at maturity - \$4,237,007; (Fully collateralized by U.S. government agency obligations, 1.500% due 11/23/15; Market value - \$4,322,058) (Cost - \$4,237,000)	0.060%	9/1/11	4,237,000	4,237,000
TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (Cost \$4,456,904)				4,456,984
TOTAL INVESTMENTS 98.1% (Cost \$390,180,552#)				427,653,921
Other Assets in Excess of Liabilities 1.9%				8,342,477
TOTAL NET ASSETS 100.0%				\$ 435,996,398

Face amount denominated in U.S. dollars, unless otherwise noted.

- (a) Variable rate security. Interest rate disclosed is as of the most recent information available.
- (b) The security's interest income payments are contingent upon the performance of Argentina's GDP. There are no principal payments over the life of the security or upon the expiration of the security.
- (c) Security is exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. This security may be resold in transactions that are exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. This security has been deemed liquid pursuant to guidelines approved by the Board of Directors, unless otherwise noted.
- (d) All or a portion of this security is held as collateral for open futures contracts.
- (e) Rate shown represents yield-to-maturity.
- # Aggregate cost for federal income tax purposes is substantially the same.

Abbreviations used in this schedule:

BRL	- Brazilian Real
EUR	- Euro
GDP	- Gross Domestic Product
IDR	- Indonesian Rupiah
MXN	- Mexican Peso
MYR	- Malaysian Ringgit
OJSC	- Open Joint Stock Company
PEN	- Peruvian Nuevo Sol
PLN	- Polish Zloty

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**Summary of Investments by Country \***

Brazil	15.0%
Russia	13.3
Mexico	13.2
Turkey	8.4
Venezuela	7.8
Argentina	5.5
Peru	5.2
Colombia	4.6
Indonesia	4.5
Poland	3.9
Malaysia	3.6
Chile	2.4
India	2.1
Thailand	2.0
Panama	1.9
Kazakhstan	1.6
Hungary	1.1
Qatar	0.9
United Arab Emirates	0.7
Trinidad and Tobago	0.5
China	0.4
Sri Lanka	0.4
Short-term investments	1.0
	100.0%

\*As a percentage of total investments. Please note that Fund holdings are as of August 31, 2011 and are subject to change.

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**Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited)**

**1. Organization and significant accounting policies**

Western Asset Emerging Markets Income Fund Inc. (the Fund) was incorporated in Maryland and is registered as a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act). The Fund's primary investment objective is to seek high current income. As a secondary objective, the Fund seeks capital appreciation. In pursuit of these objectives, the Fund under normal conditions invests at least 80% of its net assets, plus any borrowings for investment purposes, in debt securities of government and government related issuers located in emerging market countries (including participations in loans between governments and financial institutions), and of entities organized to restructure the outstanding debt of such issuers, and in debt securities of corporate issuers located in emerging market countries.

The following are significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Fund and are in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).

**(a) Investment Valuation.** The valuations for fixed income securities and certain derivative instruments are typically the prices supplied by independent third party pricing services, which may use market prices or broker/dealer quotations or a variety of fair valuation techniques and methodologies. Short-term fixed income securities that will mature in 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost, unless it is determined that using this method would not reflect an investment's fair value. Futures contracts are valued daily at the settlement price established by the board of trade or exchange on which they are traded. Equity securities for which market quotations are available are valued at the last reported sales price or official closing price on the primary market or exchange on which they trade. If independent third party pricing services are unable to supply prices for a portfolio investment, or if the prices supplied are deemed by the manager to be unreliable, the market price may be determined by the manager using quotations from one or more broker/dealers. When the Fund holds securities or other assets that are denominated in a foreign currency, the Fund will normally use the currency exchange rates as of 4:00 p.m. (Eastern time). When reliable prices are not readily available, such as when the value of a security has been significantly affected by events after the close of the exchange or market on which the security is principally traded, but before the Fund calculates its net asset value, the Fund values these securities as determined in accordance with procedures approved by the Fund's Board of Directors.

The Fund has adopted Financial Accounting Standards Board Codification Topic 820 (ASC Topic 820). ASC Topic 820 establishes a single definition of fair value, creates a three-tier hierarchy as a framework for measuring fair value based on inputs used to value the Fund's investments, and requires additional disclosure about fair value. The hierarchy of inputs is summarized below.

- Level 1 quoted prices in active markets for identical investments
- Level 2 other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar investments, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3 significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

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The Fund uses valuation techniques to measure fair value that are consistent with the market approach and/or income approach, depending on the type of security and the particular circumstance. The market approach uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or comparable securities. The income approach uses valuation techniques to discount estimated future cash flows to present value.

The following is a summary of the inputs used in valuing the Fund's assets and liabilities carried at fair value:

DESCRIPTION	ASSETS			TOTAL
	QUOTED PRICES (LEVEL 1)	OTHER SIGNIFICANT OBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 2)	SIGNIFICANT UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 3)	
Long-term investments :				
Sovereign bonds		\$ 265,014,078		\$ 265,014,078
Corporate bonds & notes		157,858,329		157,858,329
Warrants		324,530		324,530
Total long-term investments		\$ 423,196,937		\$ 423,196,937
Short-term investments		4,456,984		4,456,984
Total investments		\$ 427,653,921		\$ 427,653,921
Other financial instruments:				
Futures contracts	\$ 731			\$ 731
Interest rate swaps		\$ 43,924		43,924
Total other financial instruments	\$ 731	\$ 43,924		\$ 44,655
Total	\$ 731	\$ 427,697,845		\$ 427,698,576

## Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited) (continued)

## LIABILITIES

DESCRIPTION	QUOTED PRICES (LEVEL 1)	OTHER SIGNIFICANT OBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 2)	SIGNIFICANT UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 3)	TOTAL
Other financial instruments:				
Forward foreign currency contracts		\$ 675,078		\$ 675,078
See Schedule of Investments for additional detailed categorizations.				

**(b) Repurchase Agreements.** The Fund may enter into repurchase agreements with institutions that its investment adviser has determined are creditworthy. Each repurchase agreement is recorded at cost. Under the terms of a typical repurchase agreement, the Fund acquires a debt security subject to an obligation of the seller to repurchase, and of the Fund to resell, the security at an agreed-upon price and time, thereby determining the yield during the Fund's holding period. When entering into repurchase agreements, it is the Fund's policy that its custodian or a third party custodian, acting on the Fund's behalf, take possession of the underlying collateral securities, the market value of which, at all times, at least equals the principal amount of the repurchase transaction, including accrued interest. To the extent that any repurchase transaction maturity exceeds one business day, the value of the collateral is marked-to-market and measured against the value of the agreement in an effort to ensure the adequacy of the collateral. If the counterparty defaults, the Fund generally has the right to use the collateral to satisfy the terms of the repurchase transaction. However, if the market value of the collateral declines during the period in which the Fund seeks to assert its rights or if bankruptcy proceedings are commenced with respect to the seller of the security, realization of the collateral by the Fund may be delayed or limited.

**(c) Loan Participations.** The Fund may invest in loans arranged through private negotiation between one or more financial institutions. The Fund's investment in any such loan may be in the form of a participation in or an assignment of the loan. In connection with purchasing participations, the Fund generally will have no right to enforce compliance by the borrower with the terms of the loan agreement related to the loan, or any rights of off-set against the borrower and the Fund may not benefit directly from any collateral supporting the loan in which it has purchased the participation.

The Fund assumes the credit risk of the borrower, the lender that is selling the participation and any other persons interpositioned between the Fund and the borrower. In the event of the insolvency of the lender selling the participation, the Fund may be treated as a general creditor of the lender and may not benefit from any off-set between the lender and the borrower.

**(d) Forward Foreign Currency Contracts.** The Fund enters into a forward foreign currency contract to hedge against foreign currency exchange rate risk on its non-U.S. dollar denominated securities or to facilitate settlement of a foreign currency denominated portfolio transaction. A forward foreign currency contract is an agreement between two parties to buy and sell a currency at a set price with delivery and settlement at a future date. The contract is marked-to-market daily and the change in value is recorded by the Fund as an unrealized gain or loss. When a forward foreign currency contract is closed, through either delivery or offset by entering into another forward foreign currency contract, the Fund recognizes a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the value of the contract at the time it was opened and the value of the contract at the time it is closed.



When entering into a forward foreign currency contract, the Fund bears the risk of an unfavorable change in the foreign exchange rate underlying the forward foreign currency contract. Risks may also arise upon entering into these contracts from the potential inability of the counterparties to meet the terms of their contracts.

**Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited) (continued)**

**(e) Futures Contracts.** The Fund uses futures contracts generally to gain exposure to, or hedge against, changes in interest rates or gain exposure to, or hedge against, changes in certain asset classes. A futures contract represents a commitment for the future purchase or sale of an asset at a specified price on a specified date.

Upon entering into a futures contract, the Fund is required to deposit cash or cash equivalents with a broker in an amount equal to a certain percentage of the contract amount. This is known as the initial margin and subsequent payments (variation margin) are made or received by the Fund each day, depending on the daily fluctuation in the value of the contract. For certain futures, including foreign denominated futures, variation margin is not settled daily, but is recorded as a net variation margin payable or receivable. Futures contracts are valued daily at the settlement price established by the board of trade or exchange on which they are traded.

Futures contracts involve, to varying degrees, risk of loss. In addition, there is the risk that the Fund may not be able to enter into a closing transaction because of an illiquid secondary market.

**(f) Swap Agreements.** The Fund invests in swaps for the purpose of managing its exposure to interest rate, credit or market risk, or for other purposes. The use of swaps involves risks that are different from those associated with ordinary portfolio transactions.

Swap contracts are marked-to-market daily and changes in value are recorded as unrealized appreciation (depreciation). Gains or losses are realized upon termination of the swap agreement. Collateral, in the form of restricted cash or securities, may be required to be held in segregated accounts with the Fund's custodian in compliance with the terms of the swap contracts. Securities posted as collateral for swap contracts are identified in the Schedule of Investments.

**Interest Rate Swaps**

The Fund enters into interest rate swap contracts to manage its exposure to interest rate risk. Interest rate swaps are agreements between two parties to exchange cash flows based on a notional principal amount. The Fund may elect to pay a fixed rate and receive a floating rate, or receive a fixed rate and pay a floating rate, on a notional principal amount. Interest rate swaps are marked-to-market daily based upon quotations from market makers.

The risks of interest rate swaps include changes in market conditions that will affect the value of the contract or changes in the present value of the future cash flow streams and the possible inability of the counterparty to fulfill its obligations under the agreement. The Fund's maximum risk of loss from counterparty credit risk is the discounted net value of the cash flows to be received from the counterparty over the contract's remaining life, to the extent that that amount is positive. This risk is mitigated by the posting of collateral by the counterparty to the Fund to cover the Fund's exposure to the counterparty.

**(g) Credit and Market Risk.** The Fund invests in high-yield and emerging market instruments that are subject to certain credit and market risks. The yields of high-yield and emerging market debt obligations reflect, among other things, perceived credit and market risks. The Fund's investment in securities rated below investment grade typically involve risks not associated with higher rated securities including, among others, greater risk related to timely and ultimate payment of interest and principal, greater market price volatility and less liquid secondary market trading. The consequences of political, social, economic or diplomatic changes may have disruptive effects on the market prices of investments held by the Fund. The Fund's investment in non-U.S. dollar denominated securities may also result in foreign currency losses caused by devaluations and exchange rate fluctuations.

**(h) Counterparty Risk and Credit-Risk-Related Contingent Features of Derivative Instruments.** The Fund may invest in certain securities or engage in other transactions, where the Fund is exposed to counterparty credit risk in addition to broader market risks. The Fund may invest in securities of issuers, which may also be considered counterparties as trading partners in other transactions. This may increase the risk of loss in the event of default or bankruptcy by the counterparty or if the counterparty otherwise fails to meet its contractual obligations. The Fund's investment manager attempts to mitigate counterparty risk by (i) periodically assessing the creditworthiness of its trading partners, (ii) monitoring and/or limiting the amount of its net exposure to each individual counterparty based on its assessment and (iii) requiring collateral from the counterparty for certain transactions. Market events and changes in overall economic conditions may impact the assessment of such counterparty risk by the investment manager. In addition, declines in the values of underlying collateral received may expose the Fund to increased risk of loss.

**Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited) (continued)**

The Fund has entered into master agreements with certain of its derivative counterparties that provide for general obligations, representations, agreements, collateral, events of default or termination and credit related contingent features. The credit related contingent features include, but are not limited to, a percentage decrease in the Fund's net assets or NAV over a specified period of time. If these credit related contingent features were triggered, the derivatives counterparty could terminate the positions and demand payment or require additional collateral.

As of August 31, 2011, the Fund held forward foreign currency contracts with credit related contingent features which had a liability position of \$675,078. If a contingent feature in the master agreements would have been triggered, the Fund would have been required to pay this amount to its derivatives counterparties.

**(i) Foreign Currency Translation.** Investment securities and other assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollar amounts based upon prevailing exchange rates on the date of valuation. Purchases and sales of investment securities and income and expense items denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollar amounts based upon prevailing exchange rates on the respective dates of such transactions.

Foreign security and currency transactions may involve certain considerations and risks not typically associated with those of U.S. dollar denominated transactions as a result of, among other factors, the possibility of lower levels of governmental supervision and regulation of foreign securities markets and the possibility of political or economic instability.

**(j) Security Transactions.** Security transactions are accounted for on a trade date basis.

**2. Investments**

At August 31, 2011, the aggregate gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation of investments for federal income tax purposes were substantially as follows:

Gross unrealized appreciation	\$	45,176,069
Gross unrealized depreciation		(7,702,700)
Net unrealized appreciation	\$	37,473,369

At August 31, 2011, the Fund had the following open futures contracts:

NUMBER OF CONTRACTS	EXPIRATION DATE	BASIS VALUE	MARKET VALUE	UNREALIZED GAIN
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**Contracts to Buy:**

U.S. Treasury 10-Year Notes	126	12/11	\$	16,257,206	\$	16,257,937	\$	731
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At August 31, 2011, the Fund had the following open forward foreign currency contracts:

FOREIGN CURRENCY	COUNTERPARTY	LOCAL CURRENCY	MARKET VALUE	SETTLEMENT DATE	UNREALIZED LOSS
<b>Contracts to Buy:</b>					
Russian Ruble	JPMorgan Chase & Co.	238,262,329	\$ 8,239,956	9/15/11	\$ (257,274)
<b>Contracts to Sell:</b>					
Euro	JPMorgan Chase & Co.	19,637,340	28,204,444	9/15/11	(417,804)
Net unrealized loss on open forward foreign currency contracts					\$ (675,078)

At August 31, 2011, the Fund had the following open swap contracts:

**INTEREST RATE SWAPS**

SWAP COUNTERPARTY	NOTIONAL AMOUNT	TERMINATION DATE	PAYMENTS MADE BY THE FUND	PAYMENTS RECEIVED BY THE FUND	UPFRONT PREMIUMS PAID (RECEIVED)	UNREALIZED APPRECIATION
Credit Suisse	7,108,337	1/2/12	BRL-CDI1	10.560%		\$ 21,7142
Credit Suisse	10,798,227	1/2/12	BRL-CDI1	10.510%		22,2102
Total	17,906,564					\$ 43,924

Notional amount denominated In U.S. dollars, unless otherwise noted.

Percentage shown is an annual percentage rate.

1 Based on the Overnight Brazilian Interbank Deposit Rate. As of August 31, 2011, the CETIP Brazilian Interbank Deposit (CDI) rate was 12.39%.

2 Swap contract is valued in good faith in accordance with procedures approved by the Board of Directors (See Note 1).

Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited) (continued)

3. Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities

Financial Accounting Standards Board Codification Topic 815 requires enhanced disclosure about an entity's derivative and hedging activities.

The following is a summary of the Fund's derivative instruments categorized by risk exposure at August 31, 2011.

Primary Underlying Risk Disclosure	Futures Contracts		Forward Foreign Currency Contracts		Swap Contracts, at value	Total
	Unrealized Appreciation	Unrealized Depreciation	Unrealized Appreciation	Unrealized Depreciation		
Interest Rate Contracts	\$ 731				\$ 43,924	\$ 44,655
Foreign Exchange Contracts				\$ (675,078)		(675,078)
<b>Total</b>	\$ 731			\$ (675,078)	\$ 43,924	\$ (630,423)

During the period ended August 31, 2011, the volume of derivative activity for the Fund was as follows:

	Average Market Value
Futures contracts (to buy)	\$ 15,739,172
Forward foreign currency contracts (to buy)	8,469,970
Forward foreign currency contracts (to sell)	27,956,904
	Average Notional Balance
Interest rate swap contracts	17,906,564BRL

ITEM 2. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES.

(a) The registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act")) are effective as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on their evaluation of the disclosure controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act and 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

(b) There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are likely to materially affect the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

ITEM 3. EXHIBITS.

Certifications pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, are attached hereto.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

**Western Asset Emerging Markets Income Fund Inc.**

By /s/ R. Jay Gerken  
R. Jay Gerken  
Chief Executive Officer

Date: October 26, 2011

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By /s/ R. Jay Gerken  
R. Jay Gerken  
Chief Executive Officer

Date: October 26, 2011

By /s/ Kaprel Ozsolak  
Kaprel Ozsolak  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: October 26, 2011

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